

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion to Consider the Costs and Benefits of Various Promising Revisions to the Regulatory and market Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry and to Report to the California Legislature on the Commission's Findings.

Investigation 99-07-003

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING**

On December 6, 2001, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) filed a motion in this proceeding seeking permission to late-file its comments to the Alternate Proposed Decision of Commissioner Wood. The comments of PG&E to the Alternate Proposed Decision were attached to the motion.

Comments on the Alternate Proposed Decision were supposed to have been filed on December 4, 2002. PG&E requests permission to late-file its comments because the attorney who was assigned to the matter had an emergency which required him to leave the office on short notice, and which required another attorney to be assigned. No one filed any opposition to the motion.

The motion of PG&E to late-file its comments on the Alternate Proposed Decision of Commissioner Wood is granted. The Docket Office is directed to file the comments as of December 6, 2001.

**IT IS RULED** that:

1. The December 6, 2001 motion of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to late-file its comments to the Alternate Proposed Decision of Commissioner Wood is granted.

2. The Docket Office is directed to file the “Comments of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 G) on the Alternate Proposed Decision of Commissioner Wood as of December 6, 2001.

3. This proceeding is closed.

Dated December 28, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JOHN S. WONG

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John S. Wong  
Administrative Law Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated December 28, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ERLINDA PULMANO

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